

Docket No.: 52352-305

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:



Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

INVENTOR: Jeffrey DWORK

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AUTOPOLLING PHYSICAL LAYER

DEVICES IN A NETWORK

Encl	osed are:				
\boxtimes	11 pages of specification, claims, abstract.				
\boxtimes	Declaration and Power of Attorney.				
	Priority Claimed.				
	Certified copy of				
\boxtimes	3 sheets of formal drawing.				
\boxtimes	An assignment of the invention to Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.				
	and the assignment recordation fee.				
	An associate power of attorney.				
	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.				
	Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.				
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Total Claims	19	-20	0	\$18.00	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	2	-3	0	\$78.00	\$0.00	
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Respectfully submitted,

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CLAIM OF PRIORITY

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In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 119(e), Applicant hereby claims the priority

of:

U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/171,484, filed December 22, 1999

cited in the Declaration of the present application.

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